

# Daily Chronicle

City Directory.

## KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

**RELIEF LODGE, No. 153, K. of H.**—Meets every Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in hall corner Church and Main streets.

**F. & A. M.**

**ORIENTAL LODGE, No. 453**—Stated Communion on second Monday night of each month at 7:30 o'clock in hall corner Church and Main streets.

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**DEAR CHAPTER, No. 44, R. A. M.**—Stated Communion on first Monday night of each month at 7:30 o'clock in hall corner Church and Main streets.

**CHORUS de MON COMMANDER, No. 1**—Stated Communion on second Monday night of each month at 7:30 o'clock in hall corner Church and Main streets.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1879.**

In a conversation with one of our Aldermen yesterday, we learned that at least a portion of the Board are in favor of levying a special tax of twenty-five cents on each hundred dollars, to be set aside for the purpose of reducing the floating debt of the city.

This is a movement in the right direction. It would raise about \$8,000 per annum, to be applied in that way. It would take several years to pay it off with as low a tax as that, but it is a great deal better than nothing. We trust this or something better will be done.

There are croakers who would complain about high taxes, but we believe a majority of the tax-payers of the city will endorse such action on the part of the Board.

The people of Memphis, those who remain in the ill-fated city, are entitled to the sympathies of all humane, Christian people. There are many there who ought to have left, and there are philanthropic men whose business it is to heal and cheer the sick and bury the dead.

There are no trains going into the city, and no one leaves without permission of the authorities. Steamboats are not allowed to land, and the place is cut off from the world. Supplies are brought from above in barges, and when in a mile or two of the city they are cut loose from the boats that tow them and allowed to float down. The people are shut up with the poison and the work of death goes on in the beleaguered city. It is a terrible thing and we can hardly expect a frost that will stop it under less than two months.

THE SHOT-GUN POLICY.

Our readers are familiar with the fact that H. M. Dixon, who was an independent candidate for sheriff in Yazoo county, Mississippi, was besieged by a Democratic mob a few weeks ago, and compelled to withdraw from the canvass to save his life.

But it appears from our dispatches that it was too late, and that he has paid the penalty for daring to run for office against the regular Democratic nominee, with his life. He was shot and killed by James H. Barksdale, a candidate for Chancery Clerk. The shot-gun policy has worked like a charm in Mississippi, and by its magic power the Democratic party controls affairs in that State now. We commend the policy to Gen. Ewing and his friends in Ohio. There is no chance for him to succeed in the ordinary way, but if he could only introduce the shot-gun it might work wonders.

THE NEW YORK NATION also has something to say about Tennessee, and here it is:

The defeat of the proposed compromise Tennessee by which the State debt was to have been "scaled" fifty per cent., and the interest fixed at four per cent., is interpreted in two ways. One view is that the political leaders of both parties committed one of the blunders to which democracy is liable, and were unable to lead the people, whether they had mistakenly supposed the people anxious to be led. This is comforting both to the creditors of Tennessee and to American citizens generally, but it is not a very optimistic view. Much more reasonable is the view taken by Postmaster-General Key, who thinks the "compromise" was the best thing that could be hoped for, and that its defeat is due to the repudiation of the compromise by the people. This is a very reasonable view, and it is one that we should all remember, and that we should all remember, and that we should all remember.

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accepted, by the creditors of Tennessee. No one is likely to forget, moreover, the advocacy of repudiation by those Tennessee statesmen, Andrew Johnson and Emerson Etheridge, and the famous economic principle laid down by the former to the effect that a debt was to be considered discharged when the interest paid should amount to the principal. The case of Tennessee, indeed, seems to be particularly scandalous; her people can not accuse a carpet-bag government of saddling them with an unjust indebtedness; they have no excuse, save poverty, for their action, and yet their demoralization in this matter seems greater than that of any of their neighbors. Meantime, the arrears of interest, which amounted to \$4,000,000 in January last, are accumulating at the rate of \$1,200,000 a year; which means, of course, that there will be less and less likelihood all the time of the payment of even a part of the debt.

The Chattanooga Times does not appear to expect much in behalf of State credit from its party. It says:

Already the week-kneed portion of the State credit press is patting the Savage faction on the back, and virtually saying that their efforts in behalf of the compromise must be taken in a pious and sincere. They only happened to fall on the side of "Accepted."

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